

### Senate Kills Bill Empowering Board to Regulate Fights

### Omaha Welfare Agency Denied Right to Supervise Exhibitions—Egg-Candling Bill Sent Back.

Lincoln, Feb. 13.—(Special.)—The Garkin bill giving the Omaha welfare board supervisory powers over the boxing exhibitions in the metropolis, was killed in the senate today, with the consent of the introducer.

It was understood that if the matter of amendments to the boxing measure were brought up, the situation through the entire state would be considered, rather than in Omaha alone.

Sentiment strongly opposing the creation of new inspectional bureaus led to an all-afternoon fight on the matter of advancing the McGowan egg candling bill. The measure was finally sent back to the committee for further consideration after it had been brought out twice in the same fashion.

S. F. 69, the bill exempting pastors and others engaged in religious work from the provisions of the anti-pass law, was advanced to third reading after a motion by Anderson to indefinitely postpone it, had failed of passage. Several members indicated they might change their vote on third reading. The bill provoked spirited discussion. The Reed third-degree bill was advanced to third reading by the senate this afternoon.

The upper branch of the legislature received an invitation from the Kl-

### Senate Advances Barr Bill Giving Power to Boards

### Measure to Regulate Amusements Backed by State Federation of Woman's Clubs, Is Claim.

Lincoln, Feb. 13.—(Special.)—By a vote of 20 to 10, the senate today advanced S. F. 85, the Barr bill, allowing the creation of city welfare boards to supervise and license dance halls, theaters and other amusement places. Creation of the welfare board is optional with the city council or with the people.

Upon a motion to postpone the bill, advocates of the measure won out by a vote of 20 to 10.

Barr, Meacham, McGowan, Sturdevant and Osborne presented the principal arguments for the bill. Osborne claimed that the Nebraska Federation of Woman's Clubs was back of it.

Tomek of Butler opposed it as another regulatory measure, Reifenshahn adding that it was impossible to legislate morality. Behrens was more successful in his opposition when he picked on the clause permitting an additional tax levy to support the work. The section was stricken out.

On committee report, the senate indefinitely postponed S. F. 71, the pharmaceutical bill, and S. F. 155, Meacham's bill, to allow the incoming county treasurer to charge the expense of auditing books of his predecessor under certain conditions.

Of the 47 airplane routes in Europe France controls 19, Germany 11 and Great Britain 6.

### House Sustains Munny Light Bill Postponement

### Howell Bill Vote

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the hands of the metropolitan utilities district, as well as in the hands of the Omaha city council.

This power is vested at present in the city council and under the home-rule charter granted Omaha two years ago it would take a 60 per cent vote to carry such a bond issue while in the Howell bill only a majority vote is necessary. The Jacoby bill calls for a graduated tax of from 10 to 50 per cent on net earnings of corporations if the earning exceed 10 per cent. All corporations with an invested capital of more than \$25,000 fall under provisions of the bill.

The vote on the Howell bill follows: To raise the bill: Auten, Axtell, Ball, Collins, G. B. Dennis, Dutcher, Egger, Ellsasser, Ernest, Gallagher, Gilmore, Gordon, Hardin, Heffernan, Hyde, Keck, Johnson, Kautsky, Keck, Kelfer, Kemper, Keyes, Lamb, Miner, Mears, Mitchell, Moore, Morgan, Neff, Nelson, O'Gara, O'Malley, Otteman, Peterson, Pollard, Rausch, Reed, Segar, Smith, Strehlow, Svoboda, Thatcher, Thomson, Timme, Vance, Wells, Wilson (Lancaster), Wilson, Wells, Wilson (Davies), Wingett, Wise, Wood, Yochum (Saunders), Speaker Mathers. Total, 41.

Against the bill: Anspoker, Bailey, Baldrige, Barbour, Densmore, Donnelly, Dyball, Dygart, Essam, Gould, Hall, Hansen, Harrington, Heffle, Hughes, Johnston, Lamb, McCain, North, Parkinson, Smiley, Staats, Styal, Whitehead, Wilson (Lancaster), Yochum (Otoe). Total, 26.

### War Victim, Waterloo Creamery Defense

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were made in the two opening speeches.

"The stock of the Waterloo Creamery company which was sold to the public at \$100 to \$125.50 was at no time between 1918 and 1922 worth more than \$25 a share," declared Special Assistant Dorsey for the prosecution.

"The stock of this company which had been operating for 35 years paid dividends of 7 to 11 per cent a year up until two years ago," said Mr. Allen.

The prosecution charged "reckless extravagance" and declared evidence will prove that the various subsidiaries of the company were carried on the books at full value, but were encumbered to the limit with mortgages. Yet, the government declared, salesmen told prospective purchasers that buying Waterloo stock was about the

### Couple Refused License Held in Nebraska City

### Victim Taken to Hospital; Autoist's Hearing Delayed

Nebraska City, Neb., Feb. 13.—William World, 24, and Miss Mary Sparks, 16, both of Rockport, Mo., were arrested here last night at a hotel where World had registered both as man and wife. The sheriff of Atchison county had notified the local officers to apprehend them if they came here and hold them for the Missouri authorities. World was placed in jail, while the woman was allowed to remain at the hotel. They admitted that they had come here to get married, having been refused a license at Rockport.

Removal to a hospital of Ben Minkin, 19, 2114 Burdette street, who was struck last Saturday at Nineteenth and Cuming streets by an automobile driven by Lord Cochran, 2322 South Thirty-second street, delayed Cochran's hearing on a charge of reckless driving, yesterday morning.

It was at first thought Minkin had received only bruises. His wife said

### U. S. Auditors Check Books Taken Over by U. P. System

### Lincoln's Birthday Observed

A group of government auditors are checking over the books which were taken over by the Union Pacific system at the expiration of the government control of railroads. Railroad corporations assumed control of books and accounts conducted by the director or general during federal control, acting in the capacity of a trustee. Government auditors are checking these books on all railroads.

Beatrice, Neb., Feb. 13.—(Special.)—Lincoln's birthday was observed in the high school here with an exceptional fitting program of music and songs. The Daughters of the American Revolution were in charge. Adam McMullen of this city gave the address.

### Fire Bill Backed by O. F. D. Recommended to House

### Tax Statement Bill Is Postponed by Tax Body

Lincoln, Feb. 13.—A bill imposing a tax on foreign fire insurance companies to pay a certain percentage of their Nebraska earnings in a fund to pay fire companies in cities of more than 10,000 population for salvaging goods was given a favorable recommendation tonight by the house insurance committee. Two members of the Omaha fire department have been in Lincoln for several weeks in the interests of this bill.

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Teams to Be Congratulated.

"The Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs, the Omaha Woman's club, the Lions club and the special team of the Concord club and The Omaha Bee are to be congratulated for their wonderful support," said Bulta. "The campaign was unusually hard to put over because of the large number of drives that have been held within the past few months and because of those that are going on now. In spite of this condition the citizens of Omaha have shown and are still showing a wonderful response."

State Drive March 15.

"The campaign in the state, with the exception of 15 counties which were canvassed at the same time as Omaha, will be launched on March

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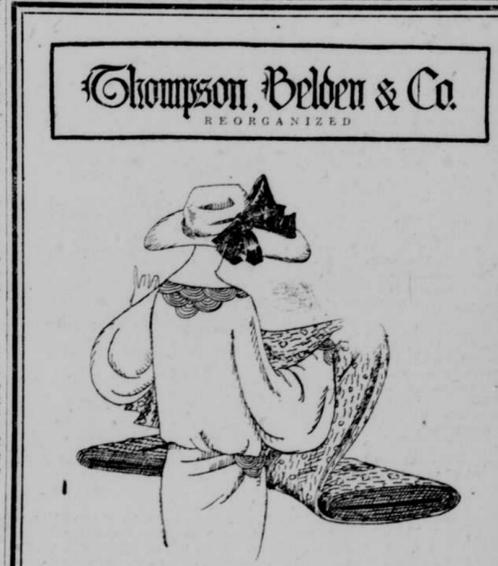
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